Campus Courier

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School's First Newspaper Rolls Off Press

East Brunswick High School marks another "first" today with the publication of this initial issue of the **Campus Courier.**

Produced through the combined efforts of a large staff getting its first taste of newspaper work, today's four-page issue covers most of the major happenings at the high school since the start of the school year.

Begin Work

The organization of the newspaper staff began in early December when a general assembly of prospective members was called by Mrs. Sandra Silver and Miss Arline Latosek, newspaper advisors.

More than 200 students responded to the first call.

From this large group, the present staff was selected after a careful review of letters in which aspirants outlined their qualifications, their reasons for applying, and the name of a teacher reference .

Outline Routine

The staff members were told that to continue on the roster, they must avoid demerits, which are given for failure to comply with assignments, failure to attend meetings and failure to assist in the "setting up" of the newspaper before each issue.

The name of the newspaper came from suggestions made in the Language Arts classes. Proposed names were: East Brunswick Highlights, News Bearer, and Campus Courier. The name **Campus Courier** was chosen unanimously at a general meeting of the newspaper staff.

The flag for the newspaper was designed by Al Zanetti in Old

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Council Gives Student Voice In Governing

Although it has been operating for only a half year, the East Brunswick High School Student Council has already held a Christmas tea for the teachers,, planned and carried out a Tree Lighting ceremony, selected a design for the school jacket, and established rules for choosing cheer leaders. It also provided Christmas gifts for some needy students.

Three dances have been arranged by the Council's Social Committee—an Autumn Leaves dance, the eighth and ninth grade Snow Ball, and the Jingle Bell Hop for sixth and seventh graders.

Lost and Found

A lost and found service is maintained in the Student Activity Room which is open at 9:15, noon, and 3:45 every day. The Council also directs the safety program at the school, supervising fire drills according to state law.

Under its advisor, Mr. J. J. Josefowicz, the Council gives the students opportunity to participate in democratic self government. It also provides special services and activities for the entire school.

Organization

The Student Council is made up of two main bodies, the General Assembly, and the Executive Committee. The Assembly consists of approximately 70 members (two representatives from each Language Arts section and sixth grade home room), five officers (president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, and parliamentarian), and the advisor.

The Assembly meets once every two weeks. The delegated members bring suggestions and problems from the classes they represent. Committees are then set up to carry out Council actions.

Executive Role

The Executive Committee is composed of the officers, the advisor, two appointed representatives from the ninth grade, and

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The existence of this newspaper is attributed to the time and effort of student staff and faculty staff advisors. The Campus Courier thanks Mrs. Ella Szarka, and Mr. Robert Winston, copy; Mr. Anthony Rozzano, sports; Mr. Anthony Navickas, news; Mr. Joseph Elefante, business; Mr. Robert Gavin, feature; Miss Green, typing: Mrs. Joseph Vedro, society; and Mrs. Booze, photography; for their patience and assistance.

COURIER STAFF—Members of the editorial staff posed for a group picture at their last general meeting. The group includes, seated left to right; Mel Kammen, Barbara Hetherington, Antoinette Ciak, Ellen Ripish, Joan Shipers, Gail D'Espies, Dennis Driscoll. Standing are: Howard Haydan, Peggy Auger, Bonnie Graham, Marlene Novak, Mary Ann Klauss, Mary Ann Boshko, Andrea Spaulding, Sandra Hercun, Ed Juba. Joanne Cerreta, Michelle Rand, and Noel Hess were not present when the picture was taken.

Editors of Campus Courier Chosen by Faculty Advisors

The four people whose shoulders carry most of the responsibilities of assignment distribution and deadline meeting for the **CAMPUS COURIER** are the editors-in-chief, Sandra Hereun and Mary Ann Boshko; and the assistant editors, Barbara Hetherington and Mary Ann Klauss.

These girls were selected for their positions by the newspaper advisors on the basis of letters of application, references and teacher evaluation from the 75 top aspirants.

SANDRA HERCUN, 15, has lived in East Brunswick only a few months. She is a native of Bridgeport, Connecticut. In her short time in the community, Sandra has gained the friendship of many. She has earned the reputation of being trustworthy and capable of performing the many hard duties of an editor-in-chief.

Sandra's favorite pastime is reading and her interests range from classical music to horses.

MARY ANN BOSHKO, our other editor-in-chief, is no stranger to East Brunswick High School. Mary Ann was graduated, with many other eighth graders, from Irwin School last year. Mary Ann likes to play her accordion when time permits. She also likes dancing and painting. Mary Ann serves as corresponding secretary, for the Social Committee, and the president of the Girls' Bowling Club.

BARBARA HETHERINGTON, assistant editor, moved from Muncie, Indiana, about six years ago. Barbara attended Irwin School last year.

A favorite hobby of Barbara's is collecting dogs made of glass for knicknacks. She likes dancing and has a record collection. Barbara is secretary of the bowling team, and a member of the Acapella Choir. Barbara is 14 years old.

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New Arts Building To Open in Fall

The Arts Building will not be open until next fall.

It is the largest of the buildings. It will have three art rooms, three music rooms, three shop rooms, three home economic rooms, which will have five complete kithens, a cafeteria and the auditorium.

The auditorium is equipped with stage drops, microphones, and lights. It is designed to seat 750 people.

The cafeteria will seat 350 students. The architecture calls for a large patio located outside the lunchroom, but it has not yet been decided how it will be used.

Classes Plan Science Fair

The East Brunswick High School Science Fair will be held on Friday, March 6, from 7:30-10:00 in the evening, in the gymnasium. Judges will be selected from the Science Lay Committee, and will award a prize to a girl and a boy in each of the four grade levels.

The five best projects will be entered in the Rutgers fair, held annually for students in grades 7-12, in New Brunswick.

The purpose of the fair is to develop the interest and ability of the students; to show parents and visitors our work; and to prepare for larger fairs, according to Mrs. Fine. She hopes "our budding scientists will be given a chance to grow, so they will be prepared to compete as seniors in the National Science Talent Search." This year, $34,250.00 worth of awards are to be distributed to 427 students.

Although preparation time is limited, interested students will find participation in the fair challenging and fun!

Public Invited to View International Festival

The Girl Scouts and Brownies of East Brunswick will hold their second annual International Festival at Central School, Saturday, February 28, from 2 until 4 p.m.

Thirty-one troops will represent 31 nations of the world. Folk dancing, food and craft sales, music and costumes will be featured. Also included in the program will be a big indoor parade of nations and international guests. The public is invited.

HELP WANTED

Males, females, citizens, grades 6 through 9 needed to keep new three million dollar high school, clean and in good condition. Hours are long, standards are high, but personal reward and achievement is higher. Begin immediately.

Platform

We, the members of the East Brunswick Newspaper, dedicate the **Campus Courier** to the promotion of student, scholastic, and social development:

A. By encouraging the development of student responsibility and integrity.
B. By promulgating administrative issues in which students are one of the parties directly concerned.
C. By supporting and attracting students to worthwhile student activities.
D. By providing opportunities for student creative writing.
E. By fostering the voice of student opinion.

Community Sings At Tree Lighting

On December 19, 1958, East Brunswick High sponsored community singing outside the gymnasium. Jane Hess, president of the Student Council, introduced Dale Wentzel, the master of ceremonies, who in turn presented Mr. George Sullivan and Mr. John Rogin. Afterwards both speakers greeted the audience in the spirit of the season.

Mr. Sullivan lit the traditional Christmas tree while onlooking carolers filled the air with joyful sounds.

The entertainment was provided by the A Capella Choir which is under the direction of Mr. Ted Collins.

The culminating point of the ceremony was a visit by "Santa," alias Mr. John Caseiro. Candy canes were distributed by his helpers.

Fashion Show To Aid Fund

Interested in new fashions? Do you want a scholarship? Well, put the two together and you come up with one project, sponsored by the East Brunswick Teacher's Association. The project is a spring Fashion Show to be held on Monday, March 2, in the Arnold Constable store. The Fashion Show will be held in order to raise scholarship funds for East Brunswick High School students.

Student participants in the show are Carole Boig and Nicki Lee Lento. Teachers from East Brunswick Township schools will also participate. Mrs. Dorothy Slovak of Bowne School, Mrs. Joan Burnett and Mrs. Patricia Paulus of Central School, Mrs. Sally Flieder of Memorial School, and Mrs. Cecelia Dougherty, principal of Irwin School, are among the well-poised models. The three teachers representing our high school are Mrs. Judith Vedro, Mrs. Sandra Silver, and Mrs. Ruth O'Carroll.

A committee, headed by Donald Cotter, is now in the process of creating posters for the affair. On the committee are Sandra Hamilton, Elaine Stirlin, Jane Hess, Marlene Novak, Dana Koty, and Al Zannetti. Supervising the committee is Mr. Koppel of the art department.

Tickets are being sold by all the faculty members of the township, and are $1.00 each. Buy one soon and join the fun!

Guest Editorial

Publication Echoes Pride

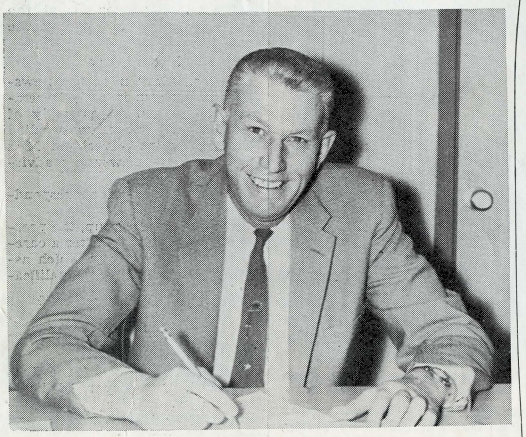
The first edition of our newspaper is a symbol of many things. It represents the efforts of many hands working cooperatively to open the eyes of fellow students and the eyes of our friends in the community. It perpetuates the tradition of American freedom of expression and will be a constant reminder that this freedom is a privilege enjoyed by less than half the people in our world today.

It also represents the hopes and new aspirations of a new generation of young adults as they prepare for a life of their own. It proves that hard work, devotion to duty, and raw courage produce things which are worthy.

This publication is more than paper and printing ink, for it echoes the pride we have in our humble beginning and the progress we have shown to date. East Brunswick High School is no longer a dream. It is a reality, made so by students whose primary goal is to make it a better school in a better community in a better world.

I congratulate the staff and their faculty advisors for the efforts they have made in our behalf. I am proud to be a member of your school.

George Sullivan,
Principal.



Principal GEORGE SULLIVAN

Interview Finds Mr. Sullivan Understands Adolescents

If positive enthusiasm and kindness are qualities of a good principal, then our own Mr. Sullivan ranks high as one of the best.

Born in Seneca Falls, New York, Mr. Sullivan has a well rounded educational background. He was graduated from Mynderse Academy and went on to earn his Bachelor of Science degree at Cortland State Teachers College. After attending Syracuse University, he continued his education at the University of Rochester where he earned his Master's Degree in 1950.

Previous to the position he now holds at East Brunswick High School, Mr. Sullivan held a teaching position at Pomlus School, in New York. He was the director of physical education. Besides coaching basketball, football, and baseball, Mr. Sullivan also taught general science and European history. He was once the director of Physical education at Holley Central School, in New York. During his career he has been responsible for his teams winning five basketball championships.

Needless to say, Mr. Sullivan is a enthusiastic sports fan.

A resident of East Brunswick Township since June, 1957, Mr. Sullivan has a devoted wife, and four children, Daniel, 15; Patricia, 11; Michael, 7, and James, 3. Next to his family Mr. Sullivan's main interest is East Brunswick High School.

Having a teenager of his own, Mr. Sullivan understands many of the problems of young adolescents today. In his own words Mr. Sullivan describes the world and problems we face: "Each succeeding generation has a brand new world to face, one that no one has ever faced before, and it is my firm belief that each of those generations has done a better job than the preceeding ones."

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Book Review For Students

This column will be devoted to books reviewed by guest reviewers. If you have read a good book and you feel that others would enjoy it, submit a short review of it to Joan Shipers or Bonnie Graham of the feature staff.

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The Diary of Anne Frank by Anne Frank, is a book that every teen-age boy or girl will enjoy. It is very realistic and the author expresses her deep feelings with great understanding, of life. Once you start the book, you won't stop.

MAUREEN WELDON

Nautilus 90 North by Comm. Anderson. A tremendous book for adventure, science, and humor lovers. Read what happens when the Nautilus goes under the North Pole; when the "roof" leaks; and when the engine room catches on fire!

EDWARD EMENS

Kon-Tiki, by Thor Heyerdahl. This exciting book is an example of a really good non-fiction adventure of men who crossed an ocean on a raft. The author wrote it in a simple manner, which made it easy to understand.

The whole story from beginning to end, is full of excitement, suspense, and some humor. It makes for good reading for anyone who likes adventure or non-fiction stories.

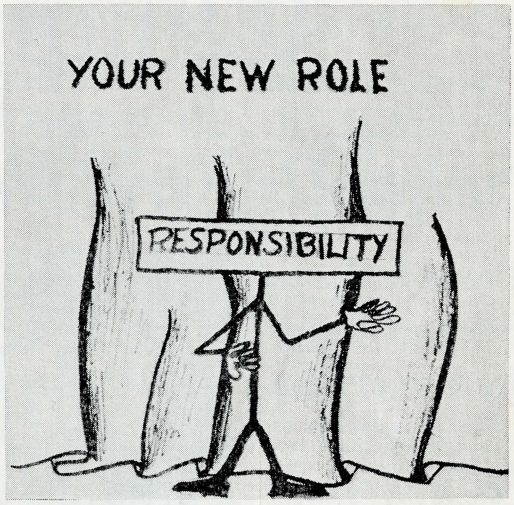
ELAINE STIRLEN

Students Attend Township Meeting

Mrs. Szarka's language arts class has been studying the government between the time after the Revolutionary War to the present day.

To fully understand government procedure, students obtained first-hand information by attending a meeting of the Township Committee on Tuesday, January 27. Student attendance was good.

Each student was required to interview a person on a local government staff. Among those interviewed were: Mayor Louis May, Mr. Edward Mack, editor of The Sentinel newspaper; Mr. Fore, member of the Township Committee; Mr. Beacher, member of the Water Department; and others.



Spotlight on Teachers

This column will feature a story on teachers selected by lottery for each edition.

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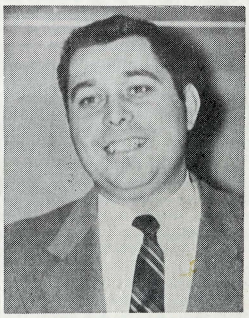
Mr. John Caseiro's name was picked for the Spotlight on Teachers column this month.

Mr. Caseiro was born in Illharo, Portugal, a seashore resort town. He has lived in the United States since 1940.

A man of many talents, Mr. Caseiro has been employed in many different kinds of occupations. At the age of six, he began his working career as a bait boy. Truck driving, the navy, and teaching are some of the other jobs at which Mr. Caseiro has been employed. He attended Glassboro State Teacher's College from which he was graduated.

Because of his friendliness and willingness to serve students, Mr. Caseiro was asked to be co-advisor of the Social Committee. People at dances find him at the high school gymnasium carting soda, moving tables and supervising from 3 p.m. until long after the dancers have gone home.



MR. JOHN CASEIRO

Mr. Caseiro's favorite songs are ballads. His favorite now is "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands", which he will sing loudly upon request.

When asked about Elvis Presley, Mr. Caseiro replied he thought they had Presley in a good place where he is, and hopes they'll keep him there.

Klan Speaks on Pakistan

On January 22, Mr. Nural Klan, a native of Pakistan, presented a program about his native land in Mr. Elefante's class in conjunction with the unit of study being covered by the 7-8 class.

The lecture presented by Mr. Klan consisted of an explanation of the geographical aspects of his country. It was accompanied by many colored slides, which gave the students wonderful birds-eye glimpses of life in Pakistan.

The lecture had a question-answer follow-up with information on educational and economic differences between our country and his. Mr. Klan gave many of his own impressions of America before he left.

The item which fascinated Mr. Klan most was snow fall in the United States. Until his trip to America, he had never witnessed one.

In contrast to American education, Mr. Klan describes education in Pakistan as beginning at 10:30 a.m. The early morning is spent in preparing homework. In school no student is permitted to answer back to a teacher. If such misbehavior occurs, fellow-students ignore the offender, because great respect for adults is demanded by all.

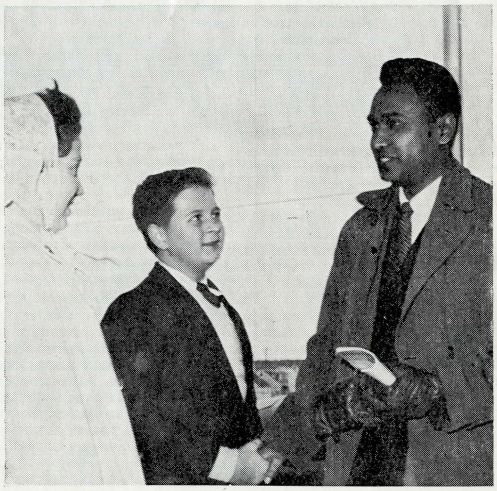
From an economic viewpoint Pakistan is less fortunate than America. There is a shortage of milk and meat. Since there is no refrigeration, all food is sold daily in the morning.

Religious and social customs play a major role in Moslem life. Marriage ceremonies and receptions cover a seven day period.

Section 7-8 was delighted by Mr. Kahn's lesson in Bengali, his native language. At the conclusion the seventh graders remarked that the people of Pakistan are very much like the people the world over.

Mr. Klan began his graduate career when he was graduated "cum laude" from Dacca University.

During the summer Mr. Klan is employed by the United Nations. At the present time he is earning his Master's Degree in Economics at Rutgers University as an exchange student on a Fulbright Scholarship. Upon completion of his educational career, Mr. Klan plans to enter the Foreign Service Bureau of his native country.

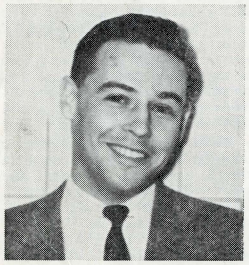


VISITOR—from Pakistan is greeted by 7th graders. Left to right: Sue Zuckerman, Charles Kozla, and Mr. Nural Klan.

Meet Jay Doyle, Sports Supervisor

Meet Mr. Jay Doyle weekdays, or weekends, coaching, supervising, or just spectating at the athletic activities E.B.H.S. sponsors.

Athletics has played an important role in Mr. Doyle's life. At Baldwin High School, N.Y., he participated on the football, track, and wrestling teams. He attended Rutgers college on a scholarship, and received a B.A. degree in Physical Education, upon being graduated.



MR. JAY DOYLE

Mr. Doyle's work and experience includes two years in the Marines; sales and telephone line work. He has enjoyed his position as physical education supervisor because he is interested in spending time with the boys he trains. He feels athletic participation offers boys something to do with leisure time and helps them to develop healthy bodies. He says more interest in athletics might help eliminate juvenile delinquency.

As director of athletics, Mr. Doyle is responsible for setting policy regarding the school system's athletic programs and for making recommendations to the Board of Education. He is responsible for preparing schedules for all inter-scholastic competition.

When he is not busy with school duties, Mr. Doyle serves as recreation director for the township's extensive recreation program, which includes basketball, baseball, ice skating, dramatics, arts and crafts and the summer playground activities.

Pep Squad Cheers

The cheerleaders are doing a bang-up job at livening up basketball games. The girls practice after school week days, except before games.

Although some of the cheers are from other schools, most of them have been made up by the girls.

The girls and their advisers, Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. Odenheimer, planned their own uniforms, parts of which had to be made by Mrs. Odenheimer and a friend. They are very different and "chic."

There have been good turnouts at the games but the cheerleaders say the crowd's behavior could be improved. The girls have done a good job at keeping people off the court, but the confetti throwing and booing should be stopped. Their argument against confetti is that is gets on the court and makes the floor slippery and dangerous for the players. It is also difficult to clean up.

The girls are proud of the team. Carol Boig says, "I think, considering this is their first year, they've come a long way." The cheerleaders say their initial cheering made them nervous, but now they are hoping it gives them confidence.

We are looking forward to having a pep rally which would give school spirit a boost and give everyone a chance to see Carol Boig, Maureen Weldon, Dot Wiskowski, Linda Herbert, Susan Black, Valerie Shanko, Penny Velenta, Joyce Pelt, Maureen Kilcommon, Nicky Lee Lento, Toni LaMagia and Loretta Brown in action.

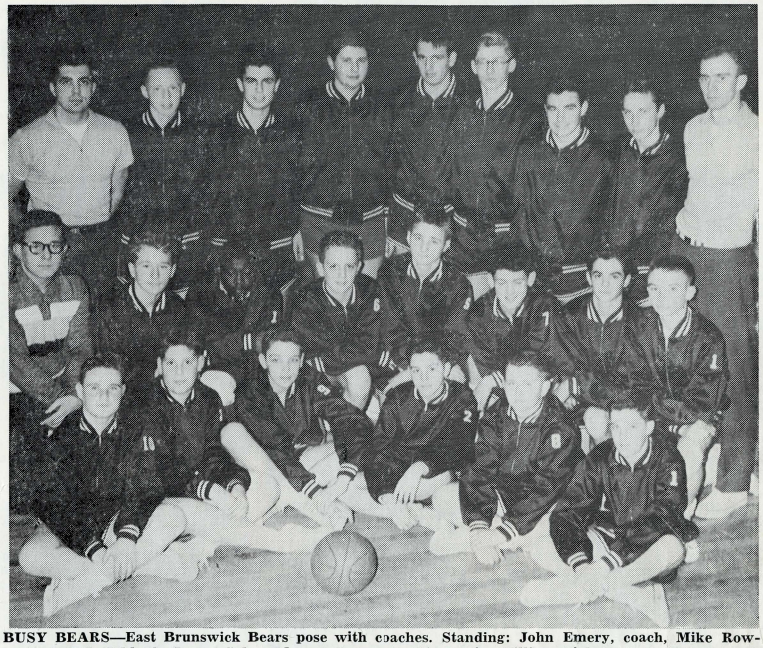
Bear's Cage Team Works For Wins

When Mr. Tighe and Mr. Emery announced that our basketball team was to be selected, 50 energetic boys tried their best to be one of the 20 chosen. Once the team was organized, hard work, disappointment, and transportation problems lay before them.

When at the games, school spirit is high. We see the boys' faces, proud of being cheered. Whether victory or defeat is the result, our morale is unbroken.

Every day, from 3:30 to 5:30, the boys present themselves at the gym to practice. Rigid exercises, hard work, and mainly team cooperation are some of the things that go into making a top notch team. It is these standards that have given the boys victory times and defeat only thrice.

Yes boys, we'll end the story now by saying our school is proud of you and wishes you luck.



BUSY BEARS—East Brunswick Bears pose with coaches. Standing: John Emery, coach, Mike Rowland, Bob Schlank, James Sabo, Edward Scupp, Andris Donis, William Siebels, Dud Tighe, coach. Kneeling: Joseph Dobrzynski, Eugene Jackson, Eric Berg, William Gruver, Thomas Chrapowicki, Michael Henderik, John Gruen. Sitting: Warren Rehfuss, David Crompton, Neil Schuster, Robert Beecher, Rusty D'Angiolillo, Dale Wentzell, Richard Stokes. Michael Opalewski was absent when the picture was taken.

Wrestlers Gain Initial Victory

Coach Jay Doyle's East Brunswick High School wrestlers broke into the win column last week by nipping Washington (N.J.) High School, 17-16, at Washington. The grapplers lost their first three meets to Cranford freshmen, Burnett Junior High School and Kawameeh Junior High School, both of Union.

The wrestlers meet Hunterdon Central Regional High School tomorrow and Wednesday afternoons in the final meets of the year. Wednesday's bouts will be at East Brunswick.

Baseball Players Called To Session

Attention to all baseball enthusiasts! Are you ready for action? Team organization will begin on May 23, 1959, in the gymnasium at 2:45 p.m. In April, Mr. Odenheimer and his assistant will select team members from the finalists.

"I'm looking for boys who desire to play and are willing to obey orders," says Coach Odenheimer. All boys who play 36 innings, or ⅓ of the games, will receive school letters.

Students selected will receive equipment and uniforms except for spiked shoes and gloves. The baseball diamond will be ready for the spring season. Plans indicate the field will be 340' or 350' down the line.

HAVE ANY PROBLEMS?

Problems and questions relating to etiquette will be answered in this paper beginning with the next edition.

Returns should be addressed to Pegg-Ann Auger, Language Arts section 9-3, or to Marlene Novak, Language Arts section 9-2.

Cage Season's Games Review

"Great improvement."

That's the way Coach John Emery describes his East Brunswick High School cage team, which has compiled a fine 6-3 record so far this season.

"We started the season without a single experienced player," Coach Emery explained, "and the boys have developed into a smooth operating squad."

The season got off to a bad start as the Bears were soundly walloped by a strong, experienced St. Peter's of New Brunswick squad, 68-29. The Bears did better in a rematch, but still could not match the Hub City squad.

East Brunswick's first athletic victory was over Linwood School of North Brunswick, 36-27. The Bears also topped the Lions in a rematch, 50-30.

Another early season game was against the South River freshmen. The Rams got off to a fast start and outlasted the Bears, 45-36. But in a return game at the new gym, the Bears played sound basketball to win easily.

Others victories were scored over the Rutgers Prep jayvees, 37-36 and 40-33, and over the Edison freshmen.

East Brunswick's outstanding players have been Ed Scupp, who has done a fine job off the boards; and Bill Gruver and John Gruen, who have been the solid ball handlers. Also seeing a lot of action for Coach Emery's squad are Joe Dobrzynsky, Gene Jackson, Tom Chrapowicki and Mike Rowland, who joined the squad at midterm.

Overtime Game Highlight Of 1958-'59 Cage Season

On January 8, 1959, the East Brunswick Bears defeated Rutgers' Preparatory team on the opponents own home floor in what turned out to be the highlight game of the month.

At the end of the first half the Brunswick Bears were leading by four points. In the third quarter Rutgers' cagers threatened the Bear victory by taking the lead.

Both teams were tied at the end of the game and had to battle for victory in a three minute overtime period.

During the extra period the Bears hurled the ball into the basket, gaining two gold-dust points. One point for a foul shot clinched the Bear victory.

Final score was 37-36. High scorer for the Bears was Joel Dobrzynksi with 14 points.

Building Tour

Mr. Burnett's morning and afternoon Language Arts classes went on a tour of the Daily Home News building in New Brunswick. The information will certainly come in handy for those who are on the school newspaper staff.

CHEERLEADERS—Leading the cheers for East Brunswick High School's athletic teams this year are these lovely young ladies: (l to r) Back row—Penny Valenta, Linda Herbert, Dorothy Wiskowski and Susan Black; middle row—Valerie Shanko, Joyce Van Pelt, Loretta Brown and Maureen Kilcommons, and front row—Maureen Wheldon and Carol Boig.

Baseball Schedule

Time	Date	Place	Team
3:45	April 23	Home	Linwood
3.30	April 28	Home	New Brunswick
3:45	May 1	Away	Milltown
3:45	May 5	Home	Milltown
3:30	May 8	Away	South River
3:45	May 12	Away	Linwood
3:30	May 15	Home	St. Peters
3:45	May 18	Home	Edison
3:30	May 19	Away	New Brunswick
3:30	May 22	Away	St. Peters
3:45	May 25	Away	Edison
3:30	May 29	Home	South River

FACES IN THE CROWD—presents the first four student personalities seated in the Home Economics living room area. From left to right is John Sadowski, Language Arts section 9-3, Valerie Shanko, Language Arts section 8-1, Eric Berg, Language Arts 7-1, and Marilyn Edenson, Home Room 51.

Faces in the Crowd

Four personalities, one from each grade level, sponsored by their Language Arts section, will be selected on the basis of a descriptive class composition to appear in this column each edition.

Valerie Shanko

Valerie Shanko was chosen personality of the month in the eighth grade.

According to her classmates she was chosen on the basis of her good looks, good study habits, charming personality, and her interest in school activities.

Valerie is considered friendly and is well liked by her classmates. Nearly fourteen, Valerie is a typical teenager. She enjoys swimming, ice-skating, horseback riding, and is considered an excellent dancer.

She has a popular record collection and her favorite singer is Johnny Mathis.

In school, she is an officer in her Language Arts class, is a cheerleader, and is a member of the Social Committee. Besides English, which is her favorite subject, Valerie does well in other subjects. Valerie's ambition is to be a private secretary.

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Eric Berg

There was no doubt in the minds of the seventh graders when they chose Eric Berg as the "Personality of the Month." Eric, popularly known as Ricky, possesses not only qualities of good-sportsmanship and honesty but a keen sense of humor.

Ricky has an excellent scholastic record. He is attentive in class and makes a sincere effort to do his best at everything.

Although Ricky is a member of the basketball team he does not play often. When he does play, he does his best.

Eric is a member of Boy Scout Troop 23 and serves at patrol leader. He is active in the Intermediate Youth Fellowship Group of which he is president.

In his spare time, Eric practices accordion and enjoys listening to music.

John Sadowski

Ninth graders at East Brunswick High School have chosen John Sadowski as their "Personality of the Month."

Well known at school, John is recognized for his pleasing personality and good sportsmanship.

Parliamentarian for the Student Council, John is responsible for guiding the proper order of proceedings for that body.

The 14-year-old student has wavy brown hair, brown eyes, stands five feet four inches tall, and most of the girl students compare him to Tommy Sands.

Nicknamed "Juice" by his best friends, Sadowski is most often seen in an East Brunswick High School jacket.

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Marilyn Edenson

The sixth grade choice for "Personality of the Month" is perky and demure little Marilyn Edenson. Honesty and diligence are just two of the traits for which the sixth graders chose Marilyn as the personality of the month.

Marilyn holds the position of class secretary, which she fulfills dependably. She is a girl who is extremely friendly. Teachers and friends consider her a model of good behavior.

Marilyn's life hobbies include table serving and art. Perhaps some day Marilyn will pursue an artistic career.

Courier Editors

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MARY ANN KLAUSS, who shares the assistant editor's job with Barbara, was born in Perth Amboy. She was graduated from Central School last year. Mary Ann likes dancing, swimming, reading, and collecting records. She takes part in the class trip planning committee of her Language Arts section. Mary Ann is 15 years old.

Local and N.Y. Tours Taken

U.N. Sightseeing

The 8th grade Language Arts classes of Mr. Navickas and Mrs. Szarka, went on a class trip to New York in the early part of the school year. They went to Cinerama to see, **South Sea Adventure.** After the two hour movie the class went on a tour of the United Nations Building. They arrived here, at school, a little after 6 p.m.

Another trip was taken to Cinerama by Mr. Winston and his Language Arts classes. After viewing the movie the pupils went to the Museum of Natural History.

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See Stars, Play

Mrs. Silver's 9-1 Language Arts class went on a class trip to New York on January 2. The class visited the Museum of Natural History, Planetarium, and Rockefeller Plaza, during the day.

In the evening, they saw **"Twelfth Night,"** a play written by William Shakespeare, and performed by the "Old Vic" players.

All plans and arrangements were made by class members.

The class presented Mrs. Silver with a white orchid corsage. Mrs. Sullivan and Mrs. Szarka also received carnation corsages. The men chaperones, Mr. Sullivan and Mr. Navickas, received buttoniers.

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Visit Trust Company

Miss Green's General Business Class took an afternoon trip to the South River Trust Company on November 25. The pupils witnessed the processes of checking depositing, and withdrawal of money. The pupils received ballpoint pens for being a good group.

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Views Nike Base

Class 8-7 visited the Nike base in Madison Township, New Jersey. We were greeted by Lt. Pruce, who commands the base.

First the lieutenant showed us the Nike missile and explained the parts. We went to the mess hall and had coffee, milk, ice cream, and sandwiches. After that we visited the day room and radar station.

Jim Vorean.

Holiday Tea Fetes Faculty

A Christmas Tree and the soft playing of carols set the mood for the first faculty social held on December 17, 1958. It was successfully held in the Student Activity Room from 3 to 4 p.m.

Among the many invited guests were Dr. S. D. Adler, superintendent of East Brunswick schools and Mr. Nunez, curriculum supervisor. The entire staff of EBHS was sent written invitations to attend the tea.

Mrs. Wagner, head cook at Central School, graciously assisted by preparing the tea and coffee. The ninth grade girls who served as hostesses were Jane Hess, Nicki Lee Lento, Nancy Wiederkerhr and Bonnie Bothem, Dana Koty, Linda Stryker and Marlene Novak.

Each teacher and guest was given a small gift and a big wish for a happy holiday.

Our Capital Grows

Washington, D.C. has added another memorial to its collection. The building was erected in honor of Senator R. A. Taft and appropriately called the Taft Memorial. A new Senate Office Building and a third House Office Building have also been constructed. As the capital grows so does the Capital Building. An addition of 73 more rooms has been added. Anyone looking for a job?

Winter Social Season Viewed 'Successful' by Student Group

The Student Council social committee sponsored a semi-formal dance for the 8th and 9th grades on Friday, January 16, entitled the "Snow Ball." Al Zanetti, Donald Cotter and others on the decoration committee decorated the dance floor to celebrate the opening of the gymnasium. The theme of the dance was fashioned by sprinkling big green and white snowballs about the dimly lit gymnasium and arranging tables in a cabaret style. Refreshments were donated by the Grand Union, the Windsor Park Bakery and the parents of the 8th and 9th graders.

Highlighting the dance was the selection of Brenda Szallai and Ed Narkiewicz as king and queen. Pat Broker, John Sadowski, Elaine Stirlen, and Ted Mayo were attendants. All of the court received gifts, and the ladies received lovely corsages.

Rosemary Nagy and Richard Brizak, dancing to Jack Slovak's Band's music, won the dance contest. Miss Latosek, Mrs. Szarka, and Mr. Doyle, the contest judges, agreed that a choice was difficult because so many of the 200 students attending the dance were accomplished dancers.

Comments from chaperones, guests, and students applaud the affair which was successful due to the efforts not only of the social committee and its advisors, who did an outstanding job, but because of the active interest the student body took in accepting the responsibilities of good dance behavior. Adults and parents too, such as Mr. Cotter and Mrs. Wagmer contributed to the "Snow Ball" making its mark.

It is almost three weeks since the sixth and seventh grades held their "Jingle Bell Hop" but people are still talking about it. The hop, sponsored by the Social Committee of the Student Council, was held in the new gymnasium on January 30.

Much planning went into the dance. Most of the work was done by the sixth and seventh grade students with the help of the executive committee. The idea was to provide the sort of entertainment the younger grades wanted, to make them feel a part of the school. The results proved successful. There was a large attendance of about 200 pupils, and they all had a good time.

Music was provided by records brought in by the members of a record committee. Cupcakes and soda were sold as refreshments. The eighth and ninth graders aided in the check room.

The boys and girls wanted something different than just ordinary dancing, because some of the younger students don't know the latest dances, so Mrs. Odenheimer, Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. Sullivan joined together and taught the boys and girls to square dance and conga.

Everybody had loads of fun and is hopefully awaiting more dances in the near future.

NEWEST BUSINESS

Huge brain centers are being built around the country. Their purpose is to answer tough problems we face as a nation.

They think about, answer, and record the major problems concerning science and government.

Council Gives Student Voice

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one representative from the seventh and eighth grades.

Meeting usually the day before the Assembly, the Executive Committee acts on matters referred to it by the Assembly and plans the agenda for the Assembly meeting.

School Election

The officers, chosen in a school-wide election on October 10 following a nominating convention and party campaigns, are Jane Hess, president; Bonnie Bothem, vice president; Marlene Novak, secretary; Nancy Weiderkehr, treasurer; and John Sadowski, parliamentarian. John is featured as an outstanding ninth grader in this issue of The Campus Courier.

Future Plans

Future plans of the Student Council include the purchase of a stone marker inscribed with the name of the school to be placed at the end of the school drive facing Cranbury road, and several more social affairs.

The Council is considering presentation of an assembly program, including a play and entertainment by talented students. Another project is the school store which will open soon in the Administration building. Items such as E.B.H.S. pennants, sweatshirts, and emblems will be sold in the store.

A plan is being worked out to use part of the money raised from the magazine sale to sponsor trips in the spring at a reduced rate for the student body.

Assembly Action

One problem now before the Assembly is the situation involving traffic and careless waste accumulation in the halls. A chairman has been appointed to set up a Citizenship committee to take action to correct this situation.

E.B. High School Newspaper

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Roman lettering. The newspaper emblem, also drawn by Zanetti, portrays an ostrich-feathered plume encompassed by a double circle and a curved-edged diamond centering through the circle.

Motto Listed

Between the borders of the circle is the name, East Brunswick High School, and the Latin motto, "litera scripta manet,"—"the written word remains."

Distribution of the newspaper is under the direction of Business Manager Dennis Driscoll and under the supervision of Mr. Joseph Elefante. Papers will be sold in all homerooms at 15 cents each. The money will be used to defray printing costs.

The newspaper office is in room 40. It is available to members for work during their free periods.

Visit Newspaper

To learn about newspaper organization and composition, Antoinette Ciak, Andrea Spaulding, Sandra Hercun, Barbara Hetherington and Mary Ann Klauss, accompanied by Mrs. Szarka, visited the offices and mechanical shop of **THE SENTINEL** in Milltown.

Editor Edward Mack of The Sentinel gave the girls background information in writing news articles, recognizing and counting headline types and in preparing copy for the printer.

Education Via Air

Meet Me in St. Louis, will be produced April 26 by CBS. Judy Garland's original role will be played by Jane Powell.

The famous "Old Vic Players" will create Shakespeare's **Hamlet** for TV viewers on Tuesday, February 24.

REDS FIGHT FOR PEACE

Russia declared that Berlin should be made a free city. She says that we should leave Berlin to govern itself. Itself, or with her help? Does Russia really know the meaning of freedom? Does she mean what she says or does she have her own definition of democracy?